

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Thomas D. Hanan  
Application No. : 10/003,675  
Filed : October 31, 2001  
For : METHOD FOR INSTALLING A PORTAL TO A PROTECTED  
AREA OF A DISK DRIVE

Examiner : Jeffrey D. Popham  
Art Unit : 2137  
Docket No. : A1023  
Date : July 7, 2008

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated March 5, 2008, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on July 5, 2008. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.